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## STRIKE PICKETS MENACE NATIONAL GUARD IN SOUTH CAROLINA DEPUTY SHERIFFS RUSHED TO GREER

### WAR DANGER STIRS "TIMES" TO COMMENT

RUSSO-JAPANESE "FERVID HATRED"

NEUTRAL NATIONS ANXIOUS

London, To-day. If two Western Governments began to register hatred with such fervour and publicity, the peace of Europe would be exposed to obvious and imminent danger, states "The Times" in a leading article on the Russo-Japanese discord.

It says that the recent incidents have admittedly caused anxiety in neutral countries where a recent change from mere ill-temper to real anger in the voices of the two parties has been noted.

Yet it is hard to believe that the Japanese, who have an immense task ahead in Manchukuo, wish to increase their financial burdens and administrative responsibilities by attempting to conquer East Siberia next year, or that the Russian oligarchs, who are threatened with the usual famine and do not dare to mobilise extensively the peasant masses, propose to attack a great military and naval Power over 3,000 miles from her own factories and arsenals, the journal adds. — Reuter.

### WHEN GERMANY INFRINGED U.S. "U" BOAT PATENT

#### SENATE PROBE REVELATIONS

#### ARMAMENT CONCERN IN LEAGUE

Washington, To-day. Striking revelations in regard to the building of submarines were made yesterday by Mr. Henry Carse, President of the Electric Boat Company, when giving evidence before the Senate Committee of Enquiry into the relations between the United States armament manufacturers and large foreign firms.

He stated that his company and Messrs. Vickers Limited divided the world into exclusive areas for the sale of submarines, and interchanged patents applying to ship construction.

Mr. Carse testified that Sir Basil Zaharoff, the multi-millionaire armaments magnate, had been paid commission at the rate of 5 per cent. on work done by his company for the Spanish Government.

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### STOP PRESS

Flying from the Junker factory at Dessau, Germany, the giant Hansa tri-motor monoplane of the Eurasia Aviation Corporation left Hanau to-day at noon, flying direct to Canton.

The plane left Germany on August 29 and has 7 passengers on board.

Through the courtesy of the military authorities, the machine will land at the Tin Ho aerodrome instead of the usual airport at Shek Pui.



### TEXTILE WALK-OUT ONLY 50 PER CENT. EFFECTIVE INTIMIDATION CAUSES THOUSANDS TO CEASE WORKING

### FAILURE CLAIMED

MINOR OUTBREAKS OF VIOLENCE HAVE OCCURRED IN SEVERAL STRIKE AREAS PARTICULARLY IN SOUTH CAROLINA, WHERE LORRY LOADS OF DEPUTY-SHERIFFS WERE RUSHED TO GREER FOLLOWING REPORTS THAT PICKETS WERE "OVER-RUNNING" THE NATIONAL GUARD.

The President of the Cotton and Textile Institute, Mr. George Sloan, has announced that the latest figures indicate that at least 250,000 cotton operatives are working and that thousands more would be working except for intimidation.

THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF SILK WORKERS CLAIMS COMPLETE SUCCESS IN THE SILK INDUSTRY SECTION OF THE STRIKE — Reuter.

### 100,000 Strike At Pennsylvania

#### SPORADIC VIOLENCE

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL  
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1894. Received September 5, 8:35 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.

A United Press survey shows that the United States textile industry strike is 50 per cent. effective. In connection with the walk-out the heaviest figure in any district is 80 per cent.

At Pennsylvania, 100,000 workers struck while 60,000 refused. In North and South Carolina only 225 out of 750 mills have closed.

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FEAR OF SPREAD  
New York, To-day. Financial authorities consider the inauguration of the textile strike moderately unsuccessful, although fearing that it will spread. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

### Japan May Nip In During Strike

#### MR. SLOAN'S WARNING NOTE

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL  
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1894. Received September 5, 8:35 a.m.)

New York, To-day.

Mr. Sloan, in a statement, declares that there is no danger of an immediate shortage of textile materials. He said that the industry had a four week's supply on hand.

He pointed out that should the strike continue beyond that period, there is a real danger of Japan seizing of portion of the American textile market. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

### TOKYO TRANSPORT STRIKE

#### Municipal Employees Man Trams

#### NO DISORDER OCCURS

Tokyo, To-day. More than 11,000 Municipal tramcar and motor-bus employees struck here early this morning, partly paralyzing the services, but a reduced number of trams and buses are running manned by 600 Municipal electric bureau clerks and 750 other Municipal employees.

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#### WEATHER FORECAST

Fine to cloudy, with moderate west and south west winds, freshening later, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.



Following close on the heels of general strike which originated at San Francisco the textile walk-out involves over half a million workers. The photograph shows citizens of San Francisco, imperilled by a food famine and a shutdown of other business establishments, staging a mass meeting to protest against the general strike.

### GOLF CLUB MURDER

### DASTARDLY CRIME DONE LAST NIGHT

Deaf Tractor Driver's Head Almost Severed

CADDY MISSING AFTER QUARREL

### THREAT TO KILL

A murder of unusual ferocity occurred between midnight and 6 a.m. to-day, when Fu Fit, 48, tractor driver and green cutter at the Happy Valley Golf Club was attacked while asleep, his assailant inflicting terrible injuries to his head. When found this morning, by Li Kwai-fan, a small boy employed at the Golf Club, his head was almost severed from his body.

Fu, who has been in the employ of the Golf Club for some 10 years, was accustomed to sleep on a camp bed outside the locker house at the Valley. He had apparently gone to sleep when his assailant crept up and attacked him with a chopper, identified as belonging to the kitchen of the Club. When discovered, his body was lying on some boards near the locker house, a few feet from the bed.

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### ANTI-NOISE CAMPAIGN

### Gandhi May Withdraw

### Differences Reported

#### RAILWAYS GIVE SUPPORT TO NEW BRITISH MOVE

#### SPAIN'S FATAL EDICT

#### TAXI-DRIVERS STRIKE

London, To-day. The railways have adopted the anti-noise campaign, and have instructed engine drivers to reduce whistling and to shunt more quietly at night time. Platform luggage barrows are being fitted with rubber tyres.

In Madrid, the success of the London silence zone has inspired authorities to emulation, but the Spanish police system of fining malefactors on the spot infuriated taxi-drivers, who drove around the Home Office square tooting continuously, and kept the Minister awake all night.

Several hundred summonses were issued, whereupon a taxi strike was declared and the streets strewn with nails to hamper "blacklegs." — Reuter.

### CANTON TAX ON FOREIGN MERCHANDISE

### May Yield Over \$1,000,000 Monthly

#### DUMPING PROTECTION

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.

Although the Provincial Department of Finance has announced a special protection tax on goods from foreign countries and other provinces, no date has yet been fixed for collecting the tax.

It was learned last night that the Customs authorities have received no word concerning this new tariff. Therefore, it is believed that the tax will not be collected by the Customs authorities but by the Provincial Department of Finance.

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### BEAR RAIDS RESPONSIBLE FOR STERLING SLUMP

New York, To-day. Bankers do not believe that Great Britain is deliberately depressing sterling, interpreting the decline in pounds as the result of bear raids. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

### NOTED BANKER WARNS TRADERS AGAINST JAPAN

### ASPIRING TO FAR EAST MONOPOLIES

#### CHINESE LOANS IN PARLOUS STATE

Berlin, To-day. Chinese State loans must be generally regarded as being in distress, declared Mr. Franz Urbig, President of the German Asiatic Bank, speaking at the general meeting yesterday. He said that the greatest control must therefore be observed in new transactions with the Chinese Government.

The boycott in China of all Japanese goods has recently been greatly relaxed, he continued, and businessmen should not ignore certain monopolistic aspirations on the part of Japan in the Far East.

Mr. Urbig expects that the exports of silver from China will have an unfavourable reaction on the international silver market. — Reuter.

#### £30,000 FOR OXFORD UNIVERSITY

London, To-day. A bequest of £30,000 to Oxford University, to be expended for the promotion of Oxford Medical Education, has been made under the will of the widow of the late Dr. Charles Williams, British Wireless Service.

## MAIL SCHEDULES

## PARCELS FOR THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA

The Post Office of the Union of South Africa complains that a number of parcels are reaching that country with their contents inadequately described on the Customs Declarations, and draws attention to the necessity for giving a full description of the contents if delay in delivery is to be avoided.

It adds that the enclosure in a parcel of a copy of the relative invoice would be of great assistance.

## INWARD MAIIS.

## FROM EUROPE Sept.

Rawalpindi (via Suez) .....

Sept.

## FROM JAPAN Sept.

Sydney Maru .....

Sept.

Calcutta Maru .....

Sept.

Loomedon .....

Sept.

Corfu .....

Sept.

General Sherman .....

Sept.

Nagara Maru .....

Sept.

Pres. Jackson .....

Sept.

Lyons Maru .....

Sept.

Tyndareus .....

Sept.

Rakkyo Maru .....

Sept.

Alipore .....

Sept.

Toyama Maru .....

Sept.

Taito Maru .....

Sept.

Sirdhana .....

Sept.

Fushimi Maru .....

Sept.

Malacea Maru .....

Sept.

Emp. of Japan .....

Sept.

Pres. Harrison .....

Sept.

## FROM AMERICA &amp; CANADA Sept.

Pres. Jackson .....

Sept.

Emp. of Japan .....

Sept.

Pres. Harrison .....

Sept.

## FROM MANILA Sept.

Emp. of Russia .....

Sept.

Pres. Coolidge .....

Sept.

Taiping .....

Sept.

## FROM SHANGHAI Sept.

Corfu .....

Sept.

General Sherman .....

Sept.

Pres. Jackson .....

Sept.

Tyndareus .....

Sept.

Ajax .....

Sept.

Aramis .....

Sept.

Taiyo Maru .....

Sept.

Conte Rosso .....

Sept.

Emp. of Japan .....

Sept.

Fushimi Maru .....

Sept.

Pres. Harrison .....

Sept.

## FROM STRAITS Sept.

Bangalore .....

Sept.

Takada .....

Sept.

Diomed .....

Sept.

Hakusan Maru .....

Sept.

## FROM INDIA Sept.

Takada .....

Sept.

## FROM AUSTRALIA Sept.

Taiping .....

Sept.

## OUTWARD MAIIS. Sept.

## FOR EUROPE

Sydney Maru (via Brisbane) .....

Sept.

Emp. of Russia (via Siberia) .....

Sept.

Corfu (Air Mail Service) .....

Sept.

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Aramis (Air Mail service Mar-

sellers) .....

Sept.

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## FOR JAPAN Sept.

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Sept.

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## The Woman's Page

## HOW TO ATTAIN SLIM ANKLES

## Adapting Old Tablecloths

## Cut Down And Dyed For Breakfast Table



## DETACHABLE BUTTONS

The buttons on children's school blouses and pyjamas are always coming back from the laundry broken, thus causing continual work and expense. It is a good plan to make the button on children's garments detachable, in the following manner.

If linen buttons are required, sew two buttons firmly together, one a little smaller than the other. Pass the smaller button through a button-hole which has been substituted for the original button. Brightly coloured breakfast cloths are always useful, and a charming effect is obtained in the following way. Cut a large tablecloth in half and dye the two halves in contrasting shades. Cut a square cloth from each and trim with a wide border of the other colour. There will be sufficient material over to make six napkins to match each cloth. The coloured borders in both cases should be hemstitched on.

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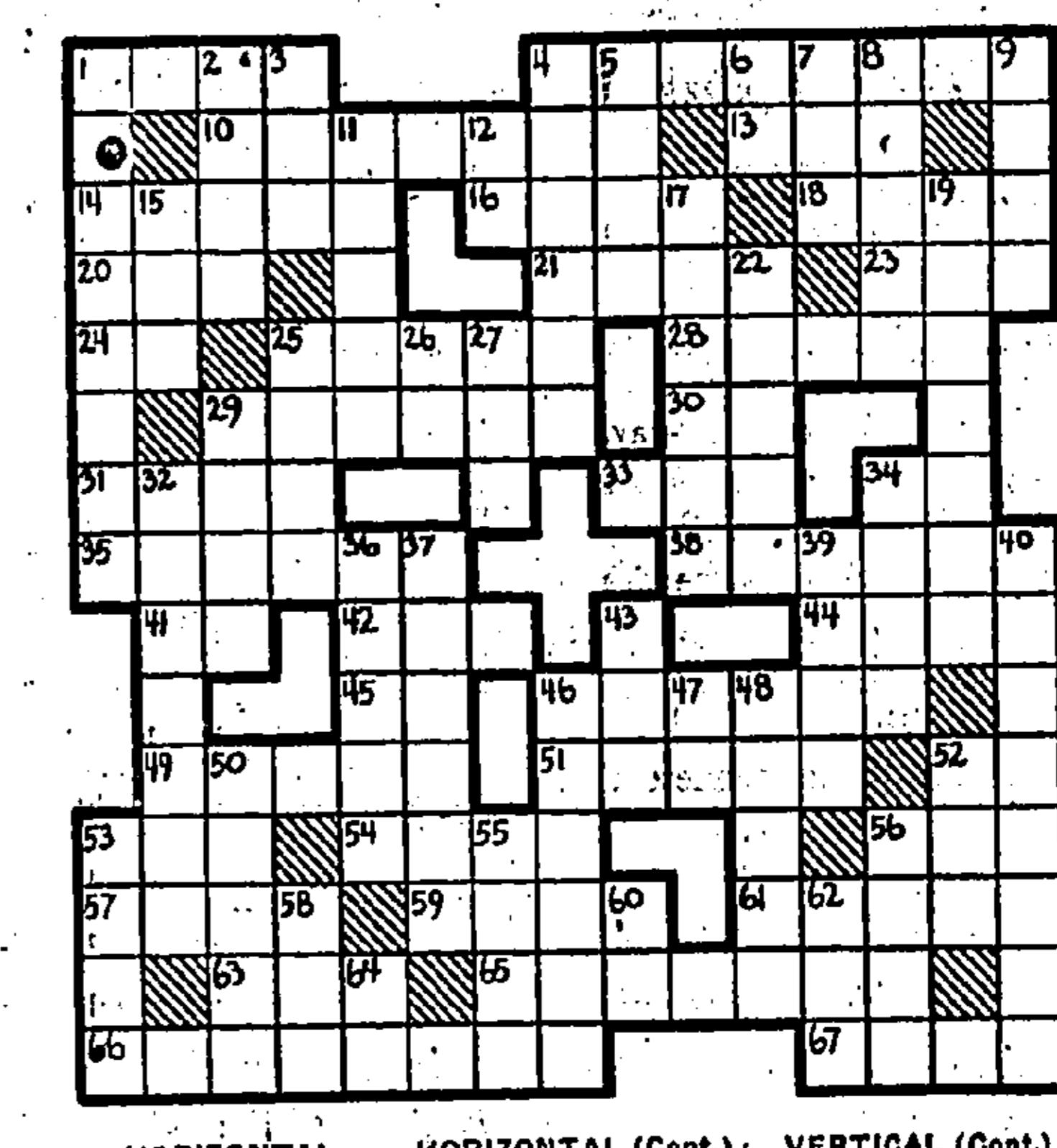
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## DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL (Cont.)	VERTICAL (Cont.)
1-Island (Poet.)	15-Lump of butter
4-Concentrated	16-Gentle
10-Rubbers	17-Prodigies
13-Raw metal	22-Gaze fixedly
14-Unfathoms	23-Small particle
16-Comfort	26-Conjunction
20-Sport	27-Crimson
21-Etruscan god	28-Walk
23-Father	29-Snakes
24-Preposition	30-Twine
25-Worship	31-Guide
28-Guide	32-A serpent
29-Unit of metric measure (pl.)	33-Negative
30-Indian Army (abbr.)	34-Positive
31-Combining form.	35-Hair agrround
Within	36-Sheep cry
33-Pronoun	37-Hard elements
34-The (Fr.)	40-Railroad (abbr.)
35-Judged	41-Grap
38-Replies	42-A serpent
41-A country of Europe (abbr.)	43-Nocturnal mammals (pl.)
42-Direction	44-Blind home
44-End	45-Prefix. Near
45-Stannum (abbr.)	46-Juice of plants
46-Man's name	48-Burden
47-Burden	50-A church (abbr.)
51-English title (pl.)	52-Musical note

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION  
PESTS STARS  
A MEAT BREAD C  
NARRATE ENDOW  
ELF ASK RAE  
SISS ATERR  
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EAT SE ONE R  
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**BRIDGE NOTES**

Gambling On Grand Slam Bid  
by Ely Culbertson

It is often said that when a Grand Slam is contracted for and the adverse cards are normally divided, the Slam should either be a laydown or be dependent, at the worst, on one finesse, and this implies that any Grand Slam which is dependent upon a very fine squeeze should not bid.

This is not necessarily true. If during the bidding the partnership discloses a solid trump suit, all the Aces and some intermediates, the Grand Slam can and should be bid, based on the gamble that these intermediates will appear where they are most needed. Occasionally, of course, several honours held in one or both hands turn out to be useless and, as a result, Declarer either cannot make the hand or must resort to a squeeze.

Such was the case on the hand below:

South, Dealer  
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH:—

S.—A 7 6 3  
H.—9 8  
D.—A J 10 3  
C.—Q 7 5

WEST:—

S.—Q J 10 2  
H.—6  
D.—Q 6 5 2  
C.—8 6 4 2

SOUTH:—

S.—K 5  
H.—A K Q J 10 8 7 4  
D.—3  
C.—A 10

EAST:—

S.—9 8 4  
H.—5 2  
D.—K 9 7 4  
C.—K J 9 8

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

South West North East

1H Pass 2NT (1) Pass  
1NT (2) Pass 5NT (3) Pass  
7H (4) Pass Pass Pass

1—Since the North hand contains over 2½ honour-tricks this bid cannot be criticised. Two diamonds, however, is a slightly better bid.

2—South knows he is going to play the hand at hearts, even though his partner never supports the suit. He accordingly uses the Four Notrump Convention to ascertain whether his partner holds the two remaining Aces.

3—The automatic response, showing possession of two Aces.

4—with his partner's first round two-notrump bid and the definite knowledge that North holds two Aces, South is justified in contracting for the Grand Slam.

The King of clubs, King of diamonds or Queen of spades in the North hand will give South his thirteenth trick.

It is easily seen that North had

none of the cards needed to make the Grand Slam a laydown. As a result, the Declarer was obliged to take advantage of a slip by the defence, followed by a squeeze.

The Queen of spades was opened, and the trick was won with the King. Two rounds of trumps were

followed by a low diamond to the Ace, and then the Knave of diamonds was returned, East playing the King.

This play by East is a more or

less normal one, but it resulted in paving the way for the subsequent squeeze. South now played the Ace of clubs, and then ran his trump suit. The situation after ten tricks was as follows:

NORTH:—

S.—A 7  
H.—  
D.—10  
C.—

WEST:—

S.—J 10

H.—  
D.—Q  
C.—

SOUTH:—

S.—5

H.—7

D.—  
C.—10

EAST:—

S.—9 8

H.—  
D.—  
C.—K

When the last trump was led East

and West were helpless. West

must discard a spade to keep the diamond Ten covered, and if East

discards a spade also, Dummy's Ace

and seven will take the last two

tricks. If East discards the club taken the last trick.

**RADIO****TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME**

The following programme will be broadcasted to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

1.15 p.m.—European Programme, 1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room. (By courtesy of the Management).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

From the Studio—Piano Recital by Harold Scott.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

5.6.15 p.m.—Children's Concert.

7.10.40 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—London & New York Stock & Commodity Quotations.

7.05-7.30 p.m.—Carnaval Suite, Op. 9 (Schumann).

London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

1. Preamble; 2. Pierrot; 3. Arlequin;

4. Valse Noble; 5. Bœus; 6. Florestan;

7. Coquette; 8. Papillons; 9. Lettres D'amour; 10. Chiarina; 11. Chopin; 12. Estrella; 13. Reconnaissance; 14. Pantalon et Colombine; 15. Valac; 16. Aver; 17. Pause; 18. Marche des Davidbundes contre les Philistins.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

7.30-8.15 p.m.—Variety.

Song: Visions in the Smoke

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Piano Solo: Can't we Talk it over

Carroll Gibbons and his Boy Friends.

Fox Trot: On a Steamer Coming Over

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Band: Irving Berlin Waltz Songs—Medley

Dorothy Somers Budd

8.15-8.40 p.m.—Song Memories.

Violet Loraine (Comedienne)

Medley of Old Time Songs

Sydney Gustard (Organ)

50 Years of Song

The London Palladium Orchestra

8.40-9 p.m.—Chamber Music.

Quartet—Minuet—Transcription from Sonata in G (Schubert, Op. 78)

Moment Musical No. 8—Transcription (Schubert)

Lener String Quartet

Octet—Traumerei (For Strings only)

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet

Octet—Perpetuum Mobile

(Weber, arr. Crooks)

Valse Caprice

(Rubinstein, arr. Crooks)

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet

Quartet—Barcarolle—Transcription

(Tschalkowsky)

Lener String Quartet

9.9.25 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Recital by Mrs. D. Snowdon-Jones (Soprano) accompanied by Mr. Frederick Mason, A.R.C.O., L.T.C.L.

Programme

1. To the Nightingale .... Brahms.

2. My Heart is in Bloom .... Brahms.

3. The Cloths of Heaven .... Dunhill.

4. Summer .... Chaminate.

Recorded Violin Solo—Indian Lament (Dvorak-Kreisler)

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1. Cherry Ripe .... Horn

2. Eriskay Love Lilt—Kennedy-Fraser

3. My Heart is Like a Singing Bird Parry.



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**The China Mail**

Hong Kong, Wednesday, Sept. 5, 1934

**Ranji**

The story of the last days of the Jam Sahib of Nawanaigar, who will always be remembered by the name under which he became famous years before his accession. Ranjitsinhji, is not merely, in itself, an incident of great pathos, but throws a flood of light, for all those who are willing to go through life with their eyes open on the difficulties of working a system of Parliamentary representation in India, or elsewhere in the East. If it be true that he found life not worth living because as Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes he had been called to order by the Viceroy, how can men like the ancient Mahratta Chief would be the great obstacle to the sit in conference with stamp operators who seek notoriety by being not merely called to order but suspended by the Speaker?

It does not seem so very long ago when Ranjitsinhji made his first appearance at Lord's in the Varsity match and was applauded for boundaries that seemed to be achieved with a minimum of effort. Cricket, with all its virtues, has a tendency to become stereotyped; and the famous names in its records are of men who have introduced a new stroke, or a new method of taking wickets. In the perennial war between attack and defence, the "body-line" controversy is by no means the first, and will not be the last; though it is not always that charges of bad sportsmanship enter to add a bitter spice to the argument. There are precedents even for that. The old rule was that the bowler must not raise his arm above the height of the elbow; and there was much criticism against those who began to trend towards the overarm style. Then there was the fight over the difference between a fair ball and a throw; the difficulty of decision being shown by contradictory rulings of umpires, so that a County team could play a bowler on one ground who would be balled on another. When Ranji first appeared things were fairly quiet; the field was placed about fifty-fifty on each side of the wicket; and the bowler set out to vary his pitch as much as possible. A straight ball must never be hit; it was gracefully but monotonously returned with a straight bat to the bowler. The batsman exercised boundless patience waiting for some "loose stuff." When it did appear the bowler was changed. Into this mechanical performance, Ranji introduced what was called "the leg glide." Building on the incontestable fact that every ball must pitch somewhere, and that

there is always a fraction of a second just as the ball touches the ground when it is easier to deal with than at any other time, he used his marvellous eye and time-judgment to glide any ball off to the boundary, straight balls included, unless it was hopelessly short-pitched or on the off. The next stage of the bowlers' riposte was what was called the "off theory."

The death of an uncle gave him as Jam Sahib of one of the smaller Mahratta States the opportunity of turning his territory into a model of modern development, and led to his being chosen as spokesman by the Indian Chiefs who govern one third of the population of the great Peninsula under various treaty arrangements with the suzerain Power. Naturally they are very sensitive about the protection of their rights; and it was taken for granted that they would be the great obstacle to the grant of self-government.

Their unanimous agreement to come in was the great surprise of early negotiations, and at one stroke put the Simon Report out of date. The subsequent Round Table discussions were all based on the new position; and the scrapping of the new compromises laboriously arrived at would be regarded by the people of the Provinces under direct British rule as a disgraceful bit of chicanery. But the longer the Chiefs thought of the implications of their first generous action the less reliance could they feel in the value of the safeguards of their rights that were to be included in the new Constitution. A man like Lord Wellington, trained in the methods of home politics, grows accustomed to regard a vote once taken, however hotly contested, as something fixed and definite, not to be denied or even further discussed. No other rule of order could enable a large assembly to deal with business at all. One cannot therefore wonder if he was appalled at the idea of beginning the work of negotiation all over again. The Jam Sahib on the other hand must have felt that while his honour was engaged to stand by what had been agreed to, it was no less engaged to secure his own status and that of those who had followed him.

The same trouble of resolves to reverse a policy freely adopted has arisen in dealing with Mr. Gandhi; and has created accusations of bad faith which probably do injustice to a temperament and tradition to which rules of Parliamentary procedure are completely alien.

Brigadier-General Weng Chao-yuan, who is known as the "Hero of Woosung Defence" and who is, now on a tour of Europe, arrived in Moscow yesterday.

**HERE, THERE  
and  
EVERWHERE****DYING RACE**

The International Congress on Alcoholism have been told some facts about the barmaids of New Zealand. They are a dying race, none having been licensed since 1910.

The few who have survived those 24 years are famous. Their special bars are crowded for most of the time between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.—the legal drinking hours in the Dominion.

They are said to get wages of anything from £7 to £12 a week—large salaries for women even by Dominion standards.

One in Auckland played golf every week-end. She drove to the course in her own motorcar.

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**BARRING THE BAR**

Although bars in New Zealand were closed by law at 6 p.m., you could always get a drink in the evening, provided you were known to the management.

At the front door of one hotel there was a concealed button.

When the porter opened the door to the police he touched the button, which rang a gentle buzz in the bar.

Illegal drinkers ran up the back stairs and jumped into the first room they saw.

Practice at bar-clearing on the lines of boat drill in a liner was a regular thing.

The record was about 5 2-5 seconds. And not a glass was left on the counter.

**Your Daily Smile!**

"I am learning the violin at 68," says a correspondent. "We sympathize with his neighbours living at 65 and 70."

Good Grade

A youth had just driven home from college at the close of the term.

"Did you pass everything?" asked his mother anxiously.

"Everything but two motorcycles. They must have had aeroplane motors in them."

France and England must not drift further apart," says a politician. Channel-swimmers will endorse this.

The Right Answer

The bright pupil looked long and thoughtfully at the second examination question, which read: "State the number of tons of coal shipped out of the United States in any given year?" Then his brow cleared and he wrote:

"192—none."

**Facts You Did Not Know**

In the first six months this year 49,605 passenger automobiles and commercial motor vehicles were exported from the United States, compared with 38,049 in the corresponding period last year.

Germany has a bakery that travels from town to town in a motor truck that tows a trailer made to resemble a huge cake that carries a generator to supply current to the vehicle's electric lights.

An extract from the United States Bureau of Fisheries is conducting a musical farm in Texas in which he is experimenting with the production of disease proof bivalves to aid the pearl button industry.

English salvagers have begun the task of boring through more than 400 feet of quicksand off the Netherlands coast to reach \$10,000,000 in gold buried in British warships that sank more than a century ago.

**THIEF'S FAILING FOR ORNAMENTS****Gao Sentence**

Sentence of four months' hard labour was imposed on Luk Kun, unemployed, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of a large quantity of ornaments, the property of Sit Che, of No. 2 Prince Terrace, yesterday.

Luk Kwong, charged with receiving a stolen electric fan from Luk Kun, was fined \$50, in default one month's hard labour.

A married woman named, Kung King, who was also charged with receiving some of the stolen goods, was discharged owing to insufficient evidence.

One case of diphtheria, two cases of typhoid fever and one case of paratyphoid fever were reported in the Colony during the three days ended September 3.

**COCKTAILS ROUND THE WORLD****SHANGHAI WAS ONCE DRINKERS' PARADISE CONCOCTIONS OF THE EAST**

(By Sir Percival Phillips.)

COCKTAILS and cirrhosis of the liver were associated in a most unpleasant way at a recent conference of doctors.

A physician whose middle name should be Gloom declared with the cold detachment of a neutral observer that the next fifteen years would see an increase in the number of hostages to Harley-street (or words to that effect), particularly of women, due to over-indulgence in pre-dinner drinks and their effect on the liver.

This is sad news; but I doubt if it will affect the consumption of cocktails. Their popularity has been diminished here and there by the higher cost of drinking, but, given a fair chance, the allies of gin and cracked ice will continue their world-wide operations for the creation of synthetic cheer.

The cocktail has achieved social importance. As a substitute for the old-fashioned dinner party it finds favour in households forced on an economy budget, yet wishful of giving and returning hospitality. Carried to excess, it may well supplement all food. A six-to-eight-o'clock "open house," furnished with martinis, is likely to drift on the tide of aimless chatter to an hour when appetites and liver alike are beyond service. But this merely plays into the open hands of Harley-street.

The cocktail is peculiarly Anglo-American in origin and tradition. For this reason it thrives best in foreign countries that harbour communities of Britons and Americans. Our Continental neighbours have never taken kindly to it. Their nationals in exile carry their prejudices with them.

**Bars Of The Far East**

The French regard it as a poisonous enemy of good cooking, and so we find Saigon, the "little Paris of the East," making no claim to be a colony of American bars. Go further up the China coast, where English is the predominant foreign tongue, and every club will be found to have its specific for killing care when the sun goes down. Or even in the middle of the day—

The world-wide depression has affected cocktail drinking even more in that part of Asia than in Europe, for China and Japan have made imported liquors luxury by imposing Customs duties that are almost prohibitive.

Shanghai was once a paradise of systematic drinkers. The bacardi cocktail, the "China side" speciality, in its various forms from simple rum and fruit juice to high-power combinations with gin and liqueurs added, was a popular vehicle for gilding the night, and its cost was negligible. Now that the Nanking government is squeezing foreign imports to the limit, it has become a rich man's toy. Many of its former patrons are drinking spirits thirstily, and some have been driven back to beer.

Japan presses even more heavily upon the favourite ingredients of anti-thirst mixtures desired by her guests from the West. But for the depression of the yen, which somewhat alleviates the strain upon converted pounds and dollars, the Anglo-American community would go dry.

The Japanese have kindly endeavoured to satisfy its demands by manufacturing substitutes for well-known brands of Scotch and gin. Their success has not been sensational. Certain products have an appearance of authenticity that does not go beyond the label. Even this has been known to create doubt in the minds of critical foreigners, as, for example, the brand of whisky launched on the home market under the name "Real Queen George."

**Thinking In Drinks**

The cocktail addict who goes travelling is likely to carry his prejudices in his personal luggage and permit them to colour his impressions of other lands. I know a man who talks glibly as a globetrotter in terms of blended "apéritifs." His conception of the map of the world is a vast bar divided by climate and temperature into many compartments.



"Does Mr. Smith live here—a student?"  
"A Mr. Smith lives here, but I didn't know he was a student—I thought he was a night-watchman!"  
—Holte Humor, London.

## WARNING TO JURY

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Mr. Fraser went on to say that two children would be produced, one, Mary Pine, who was actually present at the time. Five children in all were thrown into the nullah, but the Crown would only produce the evidence of two of these as their age rendered their evidence inadmissible.

### Medical Evidence

After the plans of the area around the nullah had been produced, Dr. D. J. Valentine was called.

In the course of his evidence he said that he was of the opinion that the accused was only slightly intoxicated when brought to the Government Civil Hospital. This opinion was confirmed from results of the analysis made.

He was kept under mental observation from the time of his admission until July 6, after which witness came to the conclusion that he was mentally sound.

The wound on Michael Pine's head was more consistent with a fall from a height rather than being knocked from side to side in the light of a fall from a height.

Cross-examined by Mr. Lim, witness would not agree that it would be equally consistent, but rather in the light of a fall from a height.

Referring to the accused, witness said that as far as he knew nothing had been given to him to drink on admission. He had been ordered medicine that night and salts the next morning.

Witness agreed that it was mainly on the result of the analysis that he had formed the opinion that the accused was only slightly drunk at the time of admission. He did not consider, as his first impression, that the accused was thoroughly drunk. The accused had said that he was drunk and witness de creed to verify this by a test.

Mr. Lim—Do you think he would have been more drunk an hour before admission?—"I would presume so."

### Valueless Analysis

Further questioned, witness agreed that the effect of immersion in cold water would tend to sober a person under the influence of drink.

Counsel put it to witness that the analysis was really valueless as it only could show the minimum amount of alcohol consumed and was not an indication of the full amount taken. Witness did not agree that it was valueless.

Counsel also contended that the poorer class of Chinese, through inability to buy liquor, would be less accustomed to drink and therefore become intoxicated much easier. The quantity stated in the medical journal as being the minimum amount required to render a person intoxicated was meant for the average Englishman and was therefore not a fair comparison to a Chinese of the poorer class.

Witness replied that it would require tests to support that statement.

The case is proceeding.

## CANTON TAX ON FOREIGN MERCHANDISE

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The tax is intended to secure more revenue for the provincial authorities. To avoid discrimination against foreign goods, the tax includes Chinese products from any place in China other than Kwangtung. Manufacturers in Hong Kong, Shanghai as well as foreign countries will be hit by the tax.

### \$1,000,000 YIELD

Among the goods included are thermos flasks, electric fixtures and batteries, cotton piece goods, socks, cotton underwear, rubber goods, cement, and silk goods. The rate is about 50 per cent. of the present import Chinese tariff. This new tax may yield from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 a month.

The provincial authorities declare that "Chinese goods need protection from foreign dumping which is possible on account of the low tariff duties on imports." Ordinarily the introduction of such a tax affecting other provinces and foreign countries must have the approval of the Nanking Government, but in view of the special political position of Canton, no consent from the Central Authorities is sought.



One of the Carlsbad caverns in New Mexico.

The tide of American tourists that formerly surged towards Europe and other foreign lands has turned to "see America first", now that the dollar is selling at a discount throughout the world. The huge areas filled with caverns, boiling springs, petrified trees, and cotton tail rabbits has become the mecca of a swarm of vacationists. From Maine to California, from Mount Rainier, in the northwest, to the Florida Everglades, patriotic Americans and foreigners who are now visiting the U.S., due to the low dollar, are discovering a primitive, virgin continent that has withstood the encroachments of the machine age. Some of the vacation spots are shown in the layout.

## CIVIL AVIATION IN 1933

### GOLF CLUB MURDER

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### AUSTRALIAN ROUTE ALMOST COMPLETED

#### Trans-Atlantic Service Negotiations

#### AMERICAN CO-OPERATION

London, To-day.

A report on the progress of Civil Aviation in 1933, issued by the Directorate of Civil Aviation at the Air Ministry, shows that as the result of the extensions of the Indian service of the Imperial Airways Ltd. to Colombo, Rangoon, and Singapore, 8,500 miles of the total of 11,000 miles of the air route between

England and Australia are already in operation, while arrangements for the remaining link to Australia are now being completed by the Commonwealth Government.

The weekly air mail, in ten days, over the 8,000 miles London to Capetown service, is reported to have operated with satisfactory regularity during the year.

Investigations were continued, and are still being followed up, regarding the possibility of operating a Trans-Atlantic air mail service, and arrangements are under discussion with the Newfoundland and Canadian Governments, and with Canada Airways Ltd.

At the same time proposals for co-operation with American interests will, it is hoped, result in the early institution of a service between Bermuda and the United States.

Referring to private and club flying, the report states that the number of light aeroplane clubs in operation at the end of 1933, including 18 in receipt of Government assistance, was approximately 60.—British Wireless Service.

### NAVAL OFFICER'S FATAL FALL

(Continued from Page 1)

An East Lancashire private, who was climbing with the deceased, was about two paces in front at the time.

The body was immediately removed from the pool, but life was found to be extinct. Deceased had sustained a severely fractured skull, a broken right leg and his jaw was fractured in three places.

After the accident the ship returned to Hong Kong immediately. Lieut. Walker joined the Navy in 1923, after graduating from Dartmouth. He was aged 23, and came to the China Station in June last year, attached to H.M.S. Suffolk, joining H.M.S. Whitshed in January this year.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### S. E. Levy And Co. And A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS

New York, Yesterday. The following quotations from New York have been received by Messrs. S. E. Levy and the American Oriental Finance Corporation.

**CLOSED**

	Close	Opening	Noon
NY/London	... 43 3/4	50 1	50 1
Cotton Dec.	1329	1313	1317
Mar.	1355	—	1328
Silk Dec.	112	—	110 1/2
Rubber Dec.	1511	—	1598
Mar.	1549	—	1536
C Wheat Dec.	103 1/2	—	102 1/2
May	105	—	104
C Corn Dec.	80 1/2	—	79
May	82 1/2	—	81 1/2
W Wheat May	86 1/2	—	85 1/2

**STOCKS:**

Amer. Smelt.	37 1/2	—	36 1/2
Auburn	23 1/2	—	22 1/2
Con. Gas NY	28	28	27 1/2
Du Pont	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
El. Bon. and Sh.	11 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Gen. Motors	29 1/2	—	29
Int. Tel. and Tel.	10	—	9 1/2
Louis. Inc.	27	—	26 1/2
McIntyre	48 1/2	—	47 1/2
Mont. Ward	23	23 1/2	23 1/2
Nat. Distill.	21 1/2	—	20 1/2
NY Central	21 1/2	—	21 1/2
Stan. Oil NJ	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Un. Aircraft	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
U.S. Steel	33 1/2	—	33

**London Prices:**

Silver: Spot 21 13/16 (last close), 21 3/4 (last recd.), 1/16 down (change). Silver: Forward 21 1/2 (last close), 21 13/16 (last recd.), 1/16 down (change).

Silver Report: China sold. India bought. Market quiet.

Gold: 141 7/8 (last close), 140 10 1/2 (last recd.), 8 1/2 down (change).

London New York Rate: 5.00% (last close), 5.01% (last recd.), .01% up (change).

London Paris Rate: 74.68 (last close), 75.03 (last recd.), .35 up (change).

Liverpool Wheat: Oct. 5 1/8 (last close), 5 7/8 (last recd.), .25 down (change).

London Rubber: Oct.-Dec.: 7% (last close), 7 9/16 (last recd.), 1/16 down (change).

London Rubber: Oct.-Dec.: 7 11/16 (last close), 7 11/16 unchanged.

London Forecast:

A forecast from London on the probable trend of the New York Market, states:

Owing to the precarious position in domestic affairs, it is deemed unlikely that much business will be transacted on Wall Street and, although the market is expected to rule dull, no serious downward movement is anticipated.

On the Commodity markets, cotton prices are expected to be sharply lower, the market being overshadowed by the strike and growing apprehension over the foreign tendency to substitute American cotton by outside growths. Wheat, cocoa and rubber prices are all expected to open easier, owing to the strike.

### Fractional Losses On Wall Street

(Continued from Page 6).

ment in business conditions. A quiet and indecisive market seems to be anticipated.

Steel mills production totalled 18.4 per cent. of capacity. Weekly business failures amounted to 202, compared with 311 last year.

The Wilcox Oil & Gas and subsidiary companies showed a net loss of \$32,000 during the first six months of 1934, against \$42,000 last year.

E. A. Pierce Co's Report:

In their market report, the American Oriental Finance Corporation, correspondent for Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company, New York state:

"Stocks:—We would still defer new purchases.

"Wheat:—Prices were lower most of the day. A rally occurred late in the session, however, on scattered Commission House and local buying which found light offerings. "Cotton:—The degree of the effectiveness of the Textile Strike has been discounted by hedging and realising by bears. There are generous rains in the Western Belt. Demand from the Trade and also covering orders are less urgent.

"Rubber:—The market ruled quiet and closed slightly off, due to selling by dealers in the late afternoon. Commission Houses were small buyers.

"Flax:—The Analyst Index of Business Activity is 79.7.

WHEN GERMANY INFRINGED U.S. "U" BOAT PATENT

(Continued from Page 1.)

He said that the German "U" boats used in the war were built on an American-owned patent through the infringement of patents which were obtained from an Austrian concern with which the Electric Boat Company had a contract. The Company had claimed U.S.\$17,000,000 for infringement, but had received nothing. — Reuter.

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From the results of the heats, it appeared that the Right Section would come out on top, but the H. Q. Section were far superior in the Finals and won by a margin of 17 points.

At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Parkes presented the prizes.

Results:

25 Yards Final—

1. L/Bdr. Hall, H.Q.S.

2. Gnr. Miller, H.Q.S.

Time—13 3/5 secs.

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1. L/Bdr. Hall, H.Q.S.

2. Gnr. Withers, H.Q.S.

3. Gnr. Adams, R.S.

Time—2 mins 28 secs.

100 Yards Free-style Final—

1. Gnr. Halliley, R.S.

2. Gnr. Morris, L.S.

3. Gnr. Corder, R.S.

Time—1 min 20 2/5 secs.

50 Yards Free-style Final—

1. L/Bdr. Hall, H.Q.S.

2. Gnr. Warman, R.S.

3. Gnr. Niller, H.Q.S.

Time—38 3/5 secs.

50 Yards Free-style Novices—

1. Gnr. Willott

2. Gnr. Ward

50 Yards Breast-stroke Final—

1. Gnr. Withers, H.Q.S.

2. Gnr. Howard, H.Q.S.

3. Gnr. Hutchinson, L.S.

Time—2 mins 26 2/5 secs.

150 Yards Free-style (Gunners) Final—

1. Gnr. Halliley, R.S.

2. Gnr. Warman, R.S.

3. Gnr. Morris, L.S.

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Time—2 mins 26 2/5 secs.

150 Yards Free-style (Gunners) Final—

1. Gnr. Halliley, R.S.

2. Gnr. Warman, R.S.

3. Gnr. Morris, L.S.

Time—38 3/5 secs.

50 Yards Free-style Novices—

1. Gnr. Willott

2. Gnr. Ward

50 Yards Breast-stroke Final—

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# NULLAH OUTRAGE TRIAL RE-OPENED TO-DAY

GAMBLING RAID HELPS TO SWELL POOR BOX COFFERS

"We Haven't Had A Haul Like This For A Long Time"

For keeping a gambling house at No. 11 Buch Street, Sin Sing Kee, a 53-year-old married woman, and her 20-year-old son, Lo Luk, were fined \$30 each by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Eight others were charged with gambling, four of which did not appear, their \$3 bail being退还 while the other four were fined \$2 each.

"We haven't had a haul like this for a long time," said Mr. Wynne Jones when Detective-Sergeant Kennedy stated that \$21.27 had been picked up from the floor. The money was put into the poor box.

## STAMPING OUT LOCUST GAINS WORLD NOTICE

### AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

IN LONDON NEXT WEEK

London, To-day.

The third International Locust Conference will meet in London on September 11. Invitations have been issued to the Governments of locust-infested countries in Africa and Western Asia, and leading experts in the question of locust research and control will be present to discuss steps to be taken to reach a solution of the problem.

The British Government representatives will include Sir Guy Marshall, Director of the Imperial Institute of Entomology.

The devastations caused by locusts in Africa and Western Asia during the past few years were so great that the necessity of dealing with the locust problem in a comprehensive way became obvious. The committee on locust control of the Economic Advisory Council, appointed in 1929 by the Prime Minister to study the locust problem, soon came to the conclusion that its solution could not be approached if a strict territorial basis was preserved.

Owing to the distribution of locusts over territories of many different countries, no organisation could hope to elucidate the origin and migrations of locusts unless it secured the co-operation of the countries concerned.

Extensive investigations are now in progress in a number of countries, both British and foreign, and the results so far obtained give definite grounds for hoping that the locust problem will ultimately be solved. Co-ordination of the investigations is effected by means of International Locust Conferences, the first one of which was held in Rome in 1931, and the second in Paris in 1932.—British Wireless Service.

### LIUCHOW CHOLERA SCOURGE

#### Stringent Rules To Curb Disease

##### FLY-CATCHING CAMPAIGN

(From Our Own Correspondence)

Kwangsi, Sept. 4.

The officials in the Liuchow district have adopted stringent methods to curb the spread of disease during the cholera scare there. The sale of over-ripe fruit is absolutely prohibited and farmers and shop-keepers convicted of offering over-ripe fruit for sale are dealt with severely by the police authorities.

In one case, where a farmer brought a boat-load of peaches with the intention of marketing them in Liuchow, the entire cargo of fruit was dumped into the river after having been examined and found to be in an over-ripe condition.

A rather novel method of ridding the city of flies has also been inaugurated. The police have offered twenty cents an ounce for flies delivered to the Sanitary Department. School children attending the Middle Schools, each student being compelled to bring at least six flies to his teacher daily, as evidence that he is actively engaged in the fly-killing campaign.

### UNREGISTERED MUI TSAI WAS WELL TREATED

#### ONLY NOMINAL FINE

##### ANOTHER RUNS AWAY

Summoned for keeping an unregistered *mut tsai*, Tam Fun, alias Hing Fa, 12 years, Fan Ki-cheung, a merchant of No. 8 Yuk Ming Street, was fined \$10 by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Inspector H. W. Fraser, said that the girl was presented by her mother for the sum of \$90, when she was six years old, in the district of Nam Hoi. She was brought to Hong Kong in 1932, and since then she had been very well treated by the defendant and a nominal fine was asked by Inspector Fraser to be imposed on defendant.

##### "Pinched And Slapped"

The summons against Yu Chu-shi, a 58-year-old woman, for keeping an unregistered *mut tsai*, Tam Ngau, 11 years, at No. 41 Bonham Road, was remanded until next Monday morning, when the facts were revealed by Inspector Fraser.

Inspector Fraser said that on August 10, the girl accompanied by her brother-in-law, reported to the S.C.A. that she had been pinched and slapped by defendant, and that she ran away from her mistress.

Inspector Fraser added that no mark had been found on the girl.

Mr. Hamilton remanded the case for the appearance of defendant, who was represented by her son this morning.

### PEAK RESIDENT ROBBED

#### Servant Boy Bound Over

Fung Yo-kuen, a servant boy employed by Mr. Scott-Harston, of No. 529 Peak Road, was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of a bottle of malt, two cigars, cake decorators, a leather cigarette case, a neck tie, a brush and a cigarette lighter, the total value of \$33, the property of Mr. Scott-Harston.

After the articles were identified by Miss Scott-Harston, accused was bound over in the sum of \$50 to be of good behaviour for a period of six months.

### LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

A Dinner Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-night. The "Andertonians" Band will be in attendance.

A Mixed Whist Drive will be held at the Kowloon Cricket Club, on Friday, September 14, at 9 p.m. Members and their friends are asked to give this function their hearty support. The entrance fee of \$1 per person, includes light refreshments.

#### TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "An Anecdote," by George R. Preedy.

There was in James Grigg that animal instinct to carry wounds, or hurts, into some dark place, away from the world. He wanted no spectacular exit, but a quiet painless passing to whatever waited. In making up his mind he had fully weighed the arguments for and against, writing his reasons carefully down on a clean white sheet of paper, in his neat handwriting.

This was no case of insanity. He realised that he was in full possession of his senses, but life, as shown on the completed balance-sheet, was not worth living. With one leg over the fence, he steadied himself and drew the folded paper from his pocket. He had nearly forgotten that before going into the tunnel, that last piece of evidence had to be destroyed.

The tiny fragments fell from his fingers and were gently scattered into the grass by the faint breeze. Then, with stiff movements he pulled himself with his left arm over the fence and slid down the bank to the permanent way. The right arm hung limply by his side. It was a wooden arm covered at the extremity by a white cotton glove.

Except for his infirmity, he was a man one would never notice. His face was gentle in its outlines, his eyes mild and blue; a man of stocky build, there was yet an indeterminate air about him, a certain irresolution. He was forty

and delivered to the Sanitary Department. School children attending the Middle Schools, each student being compelled to bring at least six flies to his teacher daily, as evidence that he is actively engaged in the fly-killing campaign.



Mrs. Mildred Dawn, who will make a welcome reappearance with her partner, Marty Sands, in Cabaret features at the Roof Garden, Hong Kong Hotel, on Saturday.

To-day's Short Story.

### Reincarnation

By John Talland

JAMES GRIGG had made up his mind to commit suicide. As he threw one leg over the wooden fence that bounded the railway cutting, he paused, not from want of determination to make the final moves of his resolve, but in order to take one last swift look around at the world he was leaving. It was a fair world. The trees were just in leaf, fresh green, and casting dappled shadows where the strong noon sunlight fell. The sky was blue, flecked with high white clouds. Birds twittered.

There were no other noises in the countryside. It was a peaceful spot, well chosen for the purpose. On the left the cutting deepened sharply as the ground rose, until, not two hundred yards distant, the gleaming metals ran in the round black hole of a tunnel's mouth.

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### WARNING TO JURY

#### CONSCIENCE ON CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

Dr. Valentine Closely Cross-Examined

#### INTOXICATION POINT DISCUSSION

Close cross-examination of Dr. D. J. Valentine, medical officer of the Government Civil Hospital, on the question of intoxication, featured the opening of the re-trial of Ng Loi-yuen, charged with the murder of Michael Pine, aged 8, at Albany Nullah on June 22 last, before the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. MacGregor at the Supreme Court this morning.

A special jury, comprising Messrs. W. H. E. Thomas (foreman), E. Cock, Wong Tak-kwong, W. G. Goggin, Sun Pak-ming, F. M. Ellis and J. Fleming, was empanelled for the re-trial.

Mr. J. H. Fraser, Assistant Attorney-General, who is prosecuting for the Crown, stated that he might ask for the jury to visit the scene of the crime.

Mr. R. C. H. Lim, instructed by Mr. P. P. K. Kemble of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, is again appearing for the defendant.

After the jury had been sworn in, the Chief Justice said that if any member of the jury had other views on capital punishment and felt that it would be against their conscience to serve on a jury where the verdict might result in the death penalty, they were invited to say so and their views would be considered.

No objections were made.

**Case For The Crown**

Mr. J. A. Fraser addressing the jury said that the trial of murder was a grave issue and he would ask them to put out of their minds anything that they might have heard before this trial. Murder was wilful killing of another human being, and suicide and taking another to death with one, was also murder, if the person survived. "And this is the position alleged by the Crown," said Mr. Fraser.

It was for the jury to decide after hearing the evidence whether the Crown had proved its case or whether it was a case of extenuating circumstances. One instance of extenuating circumstances was drunkenness, but it was to be decided whether the circumstances of drunkenness was extenuating or whether, on the other hand, the crime was aggravated by taking drink merely to carry out a purpose which, while sober, could not be faced. "Obviously that person is no less despicable and equally guilty as one who committed the same crime in cold blood," said Mr. Fraser.

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### LORRY DRIVER FINED

#### European Woman As Much To Blame

Yau Yeung, driver of lorry No. 1986, was fined \$10 by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for failing to give a signal while turning into Nathan Road from Shantung Street at 12.55 p.m. August 8.

Mrs. G. Bogdakoff of No. 95 Tai Po Road also summoned him for failing to drive with due care and caution, but on the evidence given in court Mr. Wynne Jones said that she was as much to blame and so dismissed the summons.

Acrid stale fumes of smoke creaked him from head to foot. He shivered slightly, but pressed on, and presently he grew accustomed to the smell. It carried memories. It reminded him of a time when, as a little boy, he had been taken to the seaside for a holiday. With gaudy, painted bucket and wood spade firmly clutched in his small hand he had hung his head from the carriage window, inhaling deep breaths of the engine's smoke.

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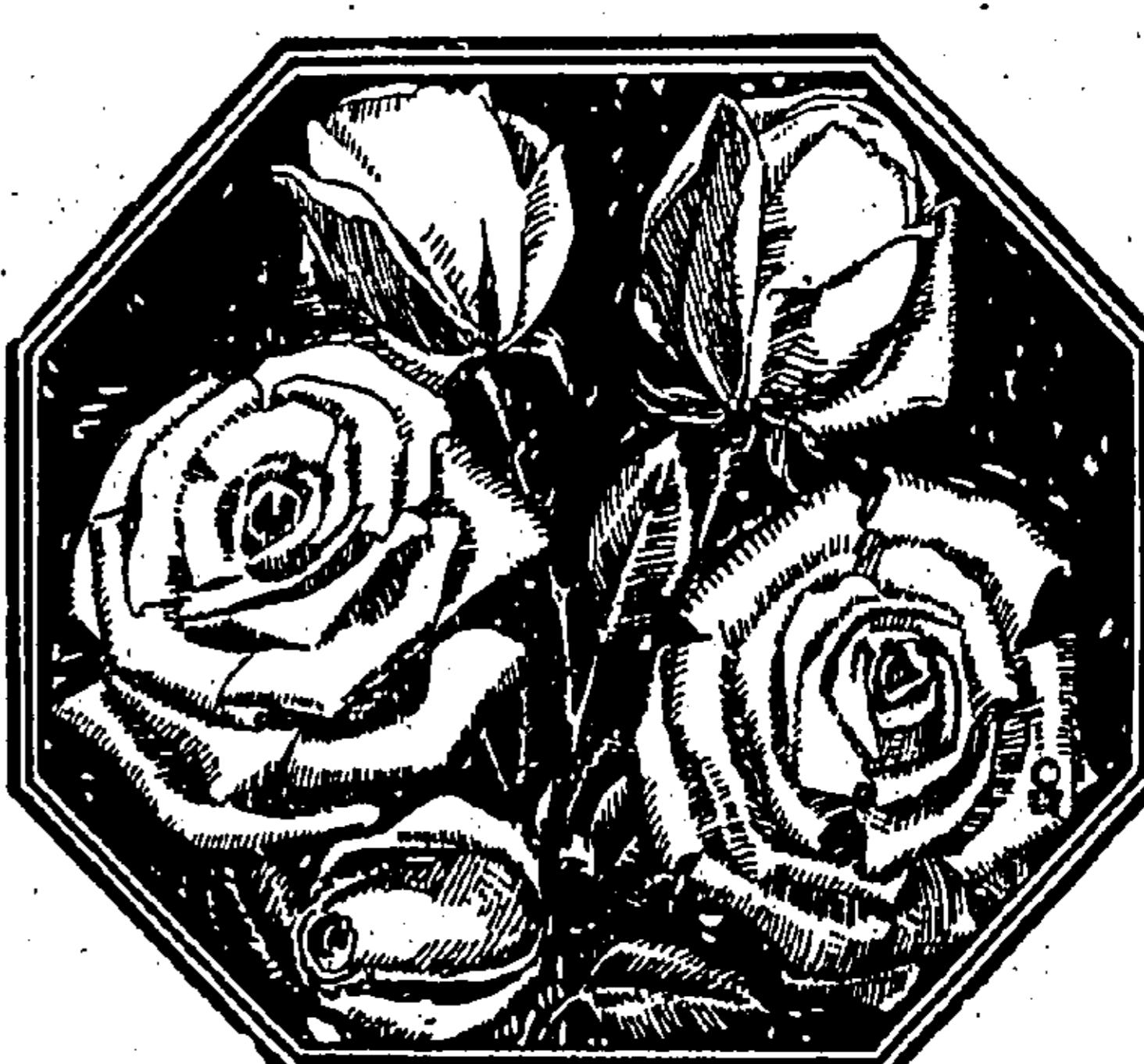
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## Reincarnation

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The tunnel was not so quiet as he had imagined it would be. His footsteps rang and echoed loudly, so that he felt they could be heard a mile away. Somewhere water trickled continuously. It sounded more like a rushing river than a rivulet. Loud splashes and plops told of moisture oozing from the roof, to fall into the puddles beneath.

At first he felt breathless to think of trains nearly approaching before he was ready, but after a while, as the blackness enfolded him utterly, he realised that the rails were conducting the sound from trains probably miles away. He coughed nervously. The roar of his cough boomed and echoed back at him for some seconds, as if some monstrous giant had roared aloud. The tunnel, he knew, was about a mile and a half long, but, surely, if anyone stood in any part of it, they could hear?

In front the blackness was absolute so that he had to feel his way from sleeper to sleeper. Once he halted, the old fear gripped him in the throat so that he swallowed hard. So easy to turn back. The old hesitation returned—but only momentarily. A quick look over his shoulder revealed far far back a small crescent of light from the entrance. The tunnel was not straight, there was a bend in it; but when next he turned his head the crescent had disappeared from view. He plodded slowly on.

Then from the distance grew a murmur of sound, the rails quivered and hummed noisily. His mouth grew dry as he realised that a train was undoubtedly approaching. Quickly his finger fumbled for the screw of paper. Possibly the train was yet outside the tunnel.

But from which way was it coming? Try as he would he could not decide. The tunnel had two tracks. If the train approached, on which track should he lie for quick deliverance? The right? Or the left? He felt the tablets in his hand, his fingers were shaking, and some of them fell and were lost in the cinders. Only one remained and he swallowed it. But one would not be enough. Frantically he scrambled his fingers over and round in his haste, then the rough clinkers, turning round sweeping his hand along the sleepers, in case one had fallen fair. But time was short.

The thought that the tunnel was inhabited with another living creature was disturbing. It upset his purpose. The necessity to find out who or what it was could not be ignored. He proceeded to search, calling in a low voice into the darkness. "Hello, 'ullo, 'ullo!" For a long time he searched before he found, and then it was by falling over a body, bodily scratching and cutting his hand and knees on the sharp clinkers in the process.

A low moan came from the form when he kicked over it. James Grigg's compassion was easily stirred. He had no fear for anything that was hurt. Pity and

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## COCKTAILS ROUND THE WORLD

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architect will not divulge its secret. Strong silent men come off ships at Kilkilin Harbour and form guessing parties at his dispensary. Defeat overcomes them, and they go back to the docks prattling like children at their mother's knee.

The cocktail drunkard goes further and falls deeper in his quest for a new "kick" than almost any other type of explorer in the limitless field of alcoholism.

A new low-level record was achieved in my presence during a recent tour in the Far East. Several conservative consumers of mild bacardi were sitting in a bar much frequented by world travellers when there entered a bemused individual in search of the elixir of life. He had apparently tried all ordinary forms of mixed drinks without success, for he leaned across the bar and, with extreme gravity, enumerated the ingredients he desired, compounded in equal proportions. The bartender regarded him in a stunned way, and slowly set about the horrid business.

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BANGALORE	TAKADA	TILAWA	1934.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
6,000	8,000	10,000	7th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	10,000	8th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
3,000	15,000	10,000	7th Sept.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
15,000	15,000	21st Sept.	20th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
10,000	10,000	21st Sept.	21st Sept.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
6,000	6,000	7,000	3rd Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
7,000	7,000	7,000	4th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	8,000	5th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	8,000	6th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
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17,000	8,000	8,000	26th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
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17,000	8,000	8,000	29th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	8,000	30th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	8,000	31st Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	8,000	1st Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
17,000	8,000	8,000	2nd Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, & Yokohama.
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**Cinema Notes**  
(Continued from Page 3)**"SHADOWS OF SING SING"**  
CENTRAL THEATRE

The story of an innocent man, caught in the toils of the law; his thrilling flight from prison to obtain material proof of his innocence; and a romance woven into these dramatic events are offering in the Columbia production, "Shadows of Sing Sing," which is now showing at the Central Theatre.

Bruce Cabot, in the leading role, is capably supported by Mary Brian, Bradley Page, Claire Durey, Grant Mitchell, Irving Bacon and Dewey Robinson. Phil Rosen directed.

**"HEADS, WE GO!"—ALHAMBRA  
THEATRE**

Constance Cummings, the beautiful Hollywood actress, makes her British film debut in British International's current production, "Heads, We Go!", now showing at the Alhambra Theatre.

The picture, which was specially written by Fred Thompson, and directed by Monty Banks, shows Constance Cummings in one of her best roles to date, and also brings together such popular players as Frank Lawton, Binnie Barnes, Gus McNaughton and Claude Hulbert.

The story of "Heads, We Go!" is a romantic one, interwoven with gay comedy and adventure. Constance and Binnie are cast in the roles of two mannequins, one of whom spends small inheritance to be near a young man with whom she has fallen in love at first sight. She meets him under the most peculiar conditions, first as a Channel steward and then as a millionaire yacht owner. Connie posing as a famous film star with results that are uproariously funny.

**"THE WANDERING JEW"—  
QUEEN'S THEATRE**

A memorable characterisation is given by Conrad Veidt, the English actor, in the film version of Temple Thurston's famous book, "The Wandering Jew," produced by Twickenham Films and now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

It is an ambitious British production, and the star practically carries the success of the film upon his worthy shoulders. Marie Ney as his wife is allowed by the director to overact. Peggy Ashcroft the well-known Shakespearean actress does well in her first film, as also does Anne Grey.

Although the development is presented in four distinct phases, each episode contributes its quota of superb pictorial pageantry picked out in glowing colours of that emotionalism, that urgent romance, that humanity and that insistent moral uplift that inevitably spells all-round screen entertainment, the whole being linked together by the pitiful suffering of the Jew, for all his apparent triumphs of the moment as lover, husband and beloved medico.

**"HUMANITY"—STAR  
THEATRE**

"Humanity" now showing at the Star Theatre is a dramatic story, the setting of which will no doubt strike a responsive chord in the hearts of all those who view the film.

The story concerns the real struggle of a young physician who, quite against his will, must of the blackness on either side. It choose between a strictly ethical was not worth thinking about. He career and one that is not too entirely without sense of honourable. Interspersed with direction in the darkness.

What should he do? Go for help? Yes—and suppose the half-sick man rolled himself over again in his pain, across the metals? It would never do to leave him. To wait for help would be equally foolish. He might bleed to death. Better to try and get him out.

Before he began he realised the enormity of the task he had set himself. He had no idea of the distance to the tunnel's nearest exist. It might be a mile—or less. And which way should he choose? There was no lightening concerning choice of love—one that I can carry you?" he whispered. (It seemed imperative to whisper in that darkness).

But the man had fainted again. Perhaps it was as well. To lift a wounded man, and a heavy man at that, is no easy task for anyone equipped with average strength and two arms. Grigg had only one arm; but it was powerful, and the necessity of making it serve for two had taught him cunning in the use of it.

He lay on the ground and got underneath the man, the instant form across his back. Then slowly, and with infinite care, he exerted every ounce of his strength to get to his feet, his teeth fastened into the cloth of a limp arm and his sound left arm around a pair

of legs—one broken. He couldn't catch his rest, but the name caught his memory. Yagger.

"Who?" queried Grigg. "Why these newspaper men of course. I told 'em they could see you when I said 'no' before."

"What about what about?"

"The other," he took him up

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TWO EUROPEAN COMPANIES

Twenty local firms, including two European firms, were fined by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for failing to furnish the Imports and Exports Department with a proper exporting declaration within seven days. Mr. W. T. Lewis, Chief Clerk of the Statistical Office, prosecuted. With the exception of two firms, the Yee Tai Hong and Company, and the Lai Cheong Shing firm, who were fined \$50 for two summonses, and \$15, respectively, all the rest were fined \$20 each.

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Man Yick Loong.  
Nam Cheng.  
Sing Heng and Company.  
Tin Heong.  
Yee Tai Hong.  
Yue Fong.  
Wo Hing.  
Cheong Shing Loong.  
Foo Hung.  
Gay Lee.  
China Metal Manufacturing.  
Lai Cheong Shing.

U.S. STRIKE

(Continued from Page 1)

In Virginia, the strike has had little effect while in Georgia it is only 25 per cent. effective.

Sporadic violence has occurred. The Chairman of the Silk Code has claimed that the strike is a failure as far as the silk industry is concerned.

Union officials, however, claim a tremendous success and predict that at least 300,000 workers will be on strike to-day in all the textile industries.

NATIONAL UNITY

Nanking Seeks Return Of South Leaders

WANG MAY RESIGN

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.

In the interest of national unity, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek,

Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, and Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan, are said to be negotiating with the Kuomintang veterans here with a view to their returning to Nanking.

While the nature of the negotiations is closely guarded, Mr. Liu Lu-yin, a member of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee and right hand man of Mr. Hu Han-min, is now in Shanghai or Nanking to interview Mr. Wang Ching-wei regarding the return of the Party chiefs here to Nanking.

It is said that Mr. Wang Ching-wei, on behalf of Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, is anxious that the leading members of the Kuomintang in Canton should go to the capital, and is particularly solicitous

that Mr. Hu Han-min should go back to Nanking. It is also rumoured that if necessary, Mr. Wang Ching-wei will resign from the presidency of the Executive Yuan to make room for Mr. Hu.

U.S. MAY ABANDON GOLD STANDARD STATES BANK

New York, To-day.—The National City Bank has issued a warning that the silver policy might eventually cause the United States to abandon the gold standard.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

STOCK EXCHANGE CONTROL COMMISSION READY

Hyde Park, To-day.—Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy has informed President Roosevelt that the Stock Exchange Control Commission will be ready to take over the securities markets throughout America on October 1.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

MASS MURDER BY ABORIGINES

Sequel To Killing of Japanese

GAOL FOR THREE MEN

Darwin (N. Australia).

Sentence of 20 years' imprisonment was passed on three Australian aborigines. Mow, Matchelma and Narakaya, who were found guilty of the murder of a Japanese pearl fisher named Tanaka, one of five who were killed in Caledon Bay.

The judge said that on the condition that there was an improvement in the conduct of the natives in Arnhem Land he would propose a reduction of the sentences to four or five years.

A description was given during the trial of how a number of Aborigines swept down on the Japanese pearl fishers and wiped out a group of five of them in September, 1932.

Harry, an Aborigine witness, said that the Japanese had threatened them with revolvers, ill-treated them and interfered with their women.

The Aborigines at last decided to make a mass attack on the Japanese. A number of them rushed the Japanese "smokehouse," secured the guns there and massacred the five Japanese, who made up the crew of a pearl lugger.

News of the murder was brought in by a half-caste servant of a white pearl

U.S. CAR PRODUCTION SHOWS DECREASE

New York, To-day.—Automobile production in the United States last week was 32,586 cars, as against 52,331 for the previous week and 43,843 for the corresponding week of last year.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

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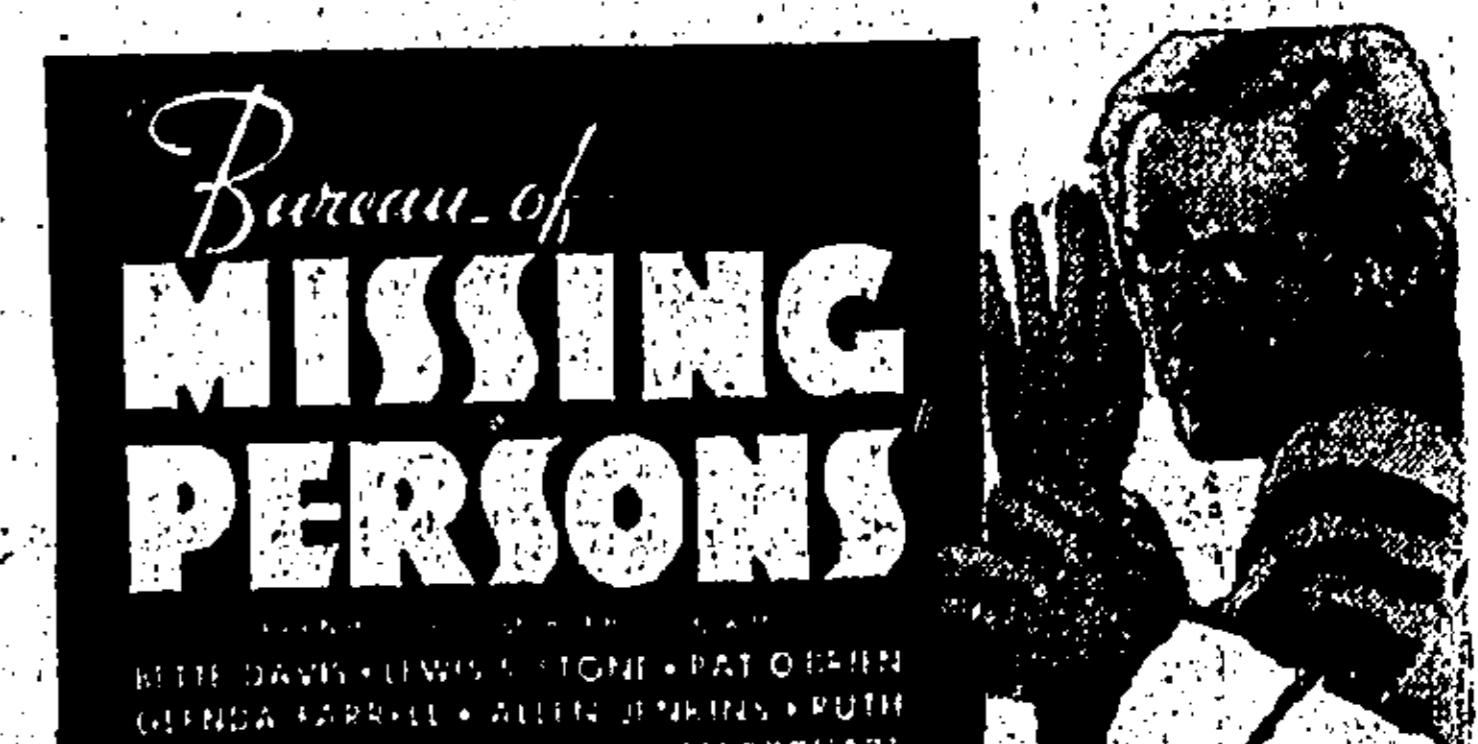
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